

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS**

MONTRELL HOLMES, Inmate #B04248,)	
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Plaintiff,)	
)	
vs.)	CIVIL NO. 09-cv-047-DRH
)	
ROGER WALKER, et al.,)	
)	
Defendants.)	

MEMORANDUM AND ORDER

HERNDON, Chief Judge:

Plaintiff, a prisoner proceeding *pro se*, has filed an Application to Proceed In Forma Pauperis pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915 together with a civil action pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983. He has also filed a motion to compel Defendants to provide him with a certified copy of his prison trust fund account statement for the six-month period immediately preceding the filing of the complaint, as required by § 1915(a)(1) (Doc. 3); he alleges that Defendants have refused to provide him with this documentation.

This motion is **GRANTED**; **the trust fund officer at Pinckneyville Correctional Center shall provide Plaintiff with the requested print-out within TEN (10) days of the date of entry of this order.**

It follows that within **THIRTY (30) DAYS** of the date of the entry of this order, Plaintiff shall submit that certified copy of his prison trust fund account statement for the six-month period immediately preceding the filing of the complaint. Plaintiff is **ADVISED** that in the event he has been transferred among institutions during this six-month period, it is Plaintiff's responsibility to

obtain a copy of his prison trust account statement from each such facility and to forward it to the Court. Plaintiff is **FURTHER ADVISED** that his obligation to pay the filing fee for this action was incurred at the time the action was filed; such an obligation will exist whether or not Plaintiff is granted leave to proceed *in forma pauperis*. 28 U.S.C. § 1915(b)(1); *see also Lucien v. Jockisch*, 133 F.3d 464, 467 (7th Cir. 1998).

The Clerk is **DIRECTED** to provide a courtesy copy of this order to the Warden at Pinckneyville to facilitate compliance.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED: June 1, 2009.

/s/ David R Herndon
CHIEF JUDGE
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT